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S/S -O - RMWRIGHT

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
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SUBJECT: DEPARTMENT PRESS BRIEFING

FOR YOUR INFORMATION FOLLOWING IS PARTIAL EXCERPT FROM  
DEPARTMENT SPOKESMAN'S PRESS BRIEFING NOVEMBER 14, 1973:

QUOTE: Q. DOESN'T MRS. MEIR'S REITERATION THAT THERE IS  
NO POSSIBLE RETURN TO THE OCTOBER 22 LINE, DOES THAT APPEAR  
TO BE IN CONTRADICTION, IN THE U.S. VIEW, TO THE SIX POINTS  
WHICH MR. KISSINGER ELABORATED IN CAIRO WITH THE EGYPTIANS?

A. WELL, LET ME JUST SAY THIS, THAT I WOULD NOT WANT TO  
TRY TO CHARACTERIZE ANYBODY'S ATTITUDES IN THIS. I STICK  
BY WHAT I SAID YESTERDAY. WE DO HOPE PRACTICAL RESOLUTIONS  
WILL BE WORKED OUT THERE. AND I MUST SAY THE LATEST  
REPORTS WE'VE HAD OF DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN THE PARTIES CON-  
CERNED AND OTHER DISCUSSIONS WITH THE UNITED NATIONS  
AUTHORITIES ARE ENCOURAGING. SO I WOULD NOT WANT TO SAY  
ANYTHING MORE THAN THAT.

Q. HAS THE UNITED STATES BEEN IN CONTACT WITH THE ISRAELI  
GOVERNMENT CONCERNING ISRAEL'S PERFORMANCE IN CARRYING OUT  
THE SIX POINT AGREEMENT REACHED WITH EGYPT?

A. I THINK, PUT IN THIS SITUATION WHERE THE SECRETARY OF  
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STATE, WHO HAS BEEN SO TOTALLY CONNECTED WITH THIS  
ACTIVITY, IS OPERATING OUT OF THE FAR EAST -- I WOULD JUST  
NOT BE PREPARED TO DISCUSS WHAT SPECIAL COMMUNICATIONS MAY  
HAVE TAKEN PLACE. END QUOTE. RUSH

NOTE BY OCT: POUCHED SANAA.

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